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3. The method of claim 2 wherein said computer readable indicia comprises geometric portions designed to provide an orientation asymmetry.

- 4. The method of claim 2 wherein said computer readable indicia comprises color scaling portions, wherein each color scaling portion represents a baseline brightness level associated with a discrete color component.
- 5. The method of claim 2 wherein said computer readable indicia comprises a high contrast background.
 - 6. The method of claim 4 further comprising the steps of:

detecting color states associated with a language construct representation disposed on said computer readable indicia; and

comparing said color states against values associated with said color scaling portions.

- 7. The method of claim 4 wherein said step of disposing is implemented via a personal computer and a color printer.
- 8. The method of claim 2 wherein the language construct set comprises a limited vocabulary of words.

Claim 9-20 cancelled without prejudice.

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21. (New) A method for communicating language constructs comprising the steps

scanning a plurality of scaling symbols of a computer readable indicia to determine baseline values associated with respective chromatic components utilized to encode information on said computer readable indicia;

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scanning a plurality of language construct symbols of said computer readable indicia to determine respective encoding levels for each chromatic component for each of a plurality of language construct symbols;

comparing the baseline values of the respective chromatic components to said encoding levels to determine a chromatic state of each of said plurality of language construct symbols; and

mapping each of said chromatic states to a respective language construct to decode said computer readable indicia.

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22. (New) The method of claim 21 further comprising: scanning asymmetric orientation symbols of said computer readable indicia to determine at least one of a beginning point and an ending point.

- 23. (New) The method of claim 21 wherein said plurality of language construct symbols are disposed in a plurality of rows and columns of said computer readable indicia.
- 24. (New) The method of claim 21 wherein said plurality of language construct symbols encodes letters.
- 25. (New) The method of claim 21 wherein said plurality of language construct symbols encodes words.
- 26. (New) The method of claim 21 wherein said plurality of language construct symbols encodes product information.
- 27. (New) The method of claim 21 wherein said plurality of language constructs encodes chemical composition information.
- 28. (New) A system for communicating language constructs comprising the steps of:

means for determining baseline values associated with respective chromatic components of a computer readable indicia, wherein said chromatic components are utilized to encode information on said computer readable indicia;

means for determining respective encoding levels for each chromatic component for each language construct symbol of said plurality of language constructs symbols;

means for comparing the baseline values of the respective chromatic components to said encoding levels to determine a chromatic state of each of said plurality of language constructs symbols; and

means for mapping each of said chromatic states to a respective language construct to decode said computer readable indicia.

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29. (New) The system of claim 28 further comprising:
means for determining at least one of a beginning point and an ending point by
analysis of asymmetric orientation symbols of said computer readable indicia.

- 30. (New) The system of claim 28 wherein said plurality of language construct symbols are disposed in a plurality of rows and columns of said computer readable indicia.
- 31. (New) The system of claim 28 wherein said means for mapping determines respective letters encoded by said plurality of language construct symbols.
- 32. (New) The system of claim 28 wherein said means for mapping determines respective words encoded by said plurality of language construct symbols.